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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I believe the justice department should notify the renegade states that a settlement has been agreed upon and either join in or go home and sulk. Those States I refer to are backing companies in competition with Microsoft. The market is open to all who want to compete for it, if they are not competitive, they have only themselves to blame. Please put this issue to bed now.

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